

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA  
NORTHERN DIVISION

CHARLES HICKS, #246241, )  
vs. )  
Plaintiff, )  
LT. WILLIE COPELAND, et al., ) CIVIL ACTION NO. 2:07cv667-WHA  
Defendants. )

**ORDER**

No objection having been filed to the Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge (Doc. #4), filed on July 24, 2007, the Recommendation is adopted, and it is hereby ORDERED that this cause is DISMISSED as malicious prior to service of process pursuant to the provisions of 28 U.S.C. 1915(e)(2)(B)(i). Judgment will be entered accordingly.

DONE this 13th day of August, 2007.

/s/ W. Harold Albritton  
W. HAROLD ALBRITTON  
SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE